

GLYNN HERE, SILENT ON FUSION'S VICTORY

Governor Refuses on Arrival to Discuss Its Effect on Future of Democracy.

IS AFTER THE GRAFTERS

"I'll Act Just as Soon as Hennessy Gives Me Proof," He Declares on First Visit Since He Took Office.

Governor Glynn came here from Albany on the Lake Shore Limited at 5:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon for his first visit since he became Governor. He smiled cheerfully enough when asked to comment on the election of John Purroy Mitchell and the fusion ticket, but refused to commit himself as to what effect he believed it would have on the future of the Democratic party in this state.

"I was often present when Governor Hughes conferred with newspaper men," said Governor Glynn, "and I noticed that in reply to many questions he answered: 'Nothing to say.' I think this is among the Hughes policies which are worth following."

Concerning his conference with John A. Hennessy in Albany yesterday morning the Governor was less reticent.

"My conference with Mr. Hennessy was entirely satisfactory," he said. "I take the same position that I have held right along, that I will act as soon as he gives me proof. He has, you know, obtained indictments as a result of his highways investigations, but whether he has as extensive proofs of graft as he thinks is a different matter."

In regard to Hennessy's charge, made in his last speech of the campaign, that the executive of the state had sufficient proof in his safe to break up the "Albany printing ring," Governor Glynn said that the Sulzer investigation was mistaken. "I pointed that out to him to-day," he said. "That evidence was not sent to me but to a different department."

The Governor added that he did not see how printing graft could exist under the present law.

"You know when I was Controller of the State I had several men sent to jail for dishonesty," he said, in reply to a question as to whether he was going to push the graft inquiry in various departments.

"I shall go on without regard to party affiliations," said the Governor, "until I have driven out every man who has touched a dishonest dollar."

The Governor added that he had not had time to look carefully into the affairs of the various departments which have been under fire.

Adjutant General William D. Hamilton was at the station to meet the state's executive. Governor Glynn is at the Vanderbilt Hotel.

3 ARRESTED IN OPIUM RAID

Inspector Gillen Goes Into House in West 38th Street.

Acting on information received several days ago, Inspector Gillen, of the 3d Inspection District, with Detective Sergeants McGee and Liebold went into a house in West 38th street, near Eighth avenue, last night and arrested three men. One was charged with running an opium den and of having in his possession a revolver. The others were held as disorderly persons.

Antonio Gesulde, thirty years old, of No. 64 West 4th street, Long Island City, was arrested as the owner of the place, and the men arrested as disorderly persons were Henry Brown, of No. 269 West 39th street, and George Miller, twenty-seven years old, of New York avenue, Jersey City.

Some opium and several opium layouts were found.

FOUR MEN SHOT; 2 MAY DIE

Negro Gunmen Make Attack in Harlem Rathskeller.

Four negroes were shot in a rathskeller run by Michael Elchler, at No. 1 West 137th street, late last night. Two of them may die.

Otis Wilson is said by the police to have been chosen as the victim by "Buddy" Jones, his brother, Charles, and William Kane, also negroes. They came into the sub-basement saloon, and, finding Wilson, fired on him, it is alleged.

In the rush to escape Arthur Estelle, Kilmore Brockington and William Neal also received bullet wounds. All four were taken to the Harlem Hospital.

The assailants were pursued to Fifth avenue and 137th street, where they were arrested.

REAL ESTATE MAN HELD

Accused of Grafting Craft by Paying Client's Taxes.

James Powers, said to be a wealthy real estate dealer of East Orange, N. J., who was indicted by the federal grand jury on a charge of using the mails to defraud, was held in \$3,000 bail for pleading when arraigned before Judge Hand yesterday. Postoffice Inspector Kenyon, who gathered the evidence against Powers, said the defendant conducted a "tax adjustment bureau" at No. 89 Wall street for nearly a year. All the complainants, he said, are the recorded owners of submerged lands in the Montauk section of Long Island.

There are four counts in the indictment and it is charged that Powers, through his correspondence, led his "dupes" to infer that his tax adjustment bureau was officially connected with the office of the County Clerk of Suffolk County, whereas it was in reality a private enterprise.

According to the indictment, it was Powers's custom to offer to take entire charge of all tax payments for owners of such property in return for a nominal sum of money, usually ranging from \$25 to \$40.

Inspector Kenyon estimated that Powers, after paying the taxes on the inundated property, reaped a profit of between \$100 and \$200 within the year in which he ran the office.

GLYNN WON'T APPOINT TAMMANY FAVORITES

Names of McCabe and Palmer Said To Be Wiped Off Governor's Slate.

PET BILLS TO BE RUSHED

Executive to Send Them to the Legislature Next Week—All Vacancies To Be Filled.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Albany, Nov. 5.—With the chances of a Democratic Assembly for next year gone, Governor Glynn is preparing to fill all vacancies in important positions in the state service so that they can be confirmed by the Senate when it reconvenes next Monday night.

It is also understood that he will present to the Legislature next week several of his pet financial measures, although he will withhold until the next regular session all legislation that requires any great amount of consideration. It is expected that the session will not last more than a week.

There are now two vacancies in the upstate Public Service Commission, and Dr. Eugene Porter and Fritz Reichman, Republicans, are holdover incumbents in the positions of State Health Commissioner and Superintendent of Weights and Measures. Curtis N. Douglas, brother-in-law of former Governor Dix, is holding over in one of the Public Service Commissionerships.

Many candidates have presented themselves for all of these positions. Governor Glynn has given no inkling as to how he intends to fill them, but the overwhelming defeat yesterday of Tammany Hall makes it practically certain that he has scratched from his slate all those who had the backing of Charles F. Murphy or any of his upstate lieutenants. These include Senate Clerk Patrick E. McCabe, of Albany County, and George M. Palmer, of Schenectady.

William E. Leffingwell, of Watkins, is mentioned prominently for one of the commissionerships. He was nominated by Governor Sulzer, but failed to get the endorsement of the Senate. Mr. Leffingwell now has the active support of Senator Murtagh, who is not only influential in the Senate but stands high in the graces of Governor Glynn.

John S. Kennedy, former secretary of the commission and now connected with the New York Telephone Company, is the most likely candidate in case Governor Glynn decides upon having a bipartisan commission, such as Governor Hughes had.

The members of the original commission, who were appointed by Governor Hughes, included two Democrats, Thomas Mott Osborne and John N. Carlisle, present State Highway Commissioner. Mr. Carlisle, it is said, would like to return to the Public Service Commission.

Should he get the appointment, John A. Delaney, head of the Efficiency and Economy Commission, may succeed him as Highway Commissioner, and there is a strong possibility that the Efficiency and Economy Commission may be abolished.

TO INTERPRET INCOME TAX

Treasury Department Will Make Rules Clearer.

[From The Tribune Bureau.] Washington, Nov. 5.—Widespread confusion exists over the meaning of the regulations for the collection of the income tax "at source," and an intricate tangle in collecting this revenue is feared by officials of the Treasury Department.

Bankers in nearly every section of the country are complaining or making inquiries about the regulations, and in some instances the attitude of the banks is regarded as menacing. Criticism is made that the proposed currency legislation and the burdens imposed by the collection of the income tax will create havoc within a few months.

The Treasury Department is deluged with queries about the regulations, and the Secretary of the Treasury and the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, W. H. Osborn, are striving hard to make the rules more comprehensive. They hope to be able to send out supplementary instructions which will clarify the situation.

The Bankers' Association of Washington will hold a meeting to-morrow to study the regulations. Secretary McAdoo does not believe that the rules are anywhere near complete or final. He thinks they would be subject to many changes, to be dictated by experience.

BUTTS IN BANKRUPTCY

Petition Filed Against Lawyer in Jail Calls Him Insolvent.

Thomas W. Butts, the lawyer who was lodged in Ludlow street jail on Monday in default of \$25,000 bail on the charge that he had withheld \$25,200 from the heirs of Townsend Wendell, had a petition in bankruptcy filed against him yesterday.

The petition was filed by three creditors—C. Amory Stevens, \$1,000; a loan; Alphonse Montant, a loan of \$1,000; and Bernard Scheinkman, \$50, for medical services.

WIFE SUES LESLIE P. WARD

Accuses Son of Prudential's Late Vice-President—Eloped in 1898.

Mrs. Mabel R. Ward has filed a suit in the Supreme Court for divorce against Leslie Perry Ward. The respondent is the son of the late Dr. Leslie R. Ward, who was vice-president of the Prudential Insurance Company of America. The son inherited much of his father's large estate.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward were married in New Jersey in 1898, following an elopement. Mrs. Ward has not lived with her husband for several years. She mentions several hotels in London and several dates in her complaint.

DOE (NOT JOHN) PROVES DEAR.

[From The Tribune Bureau.] Egg Harbor, N. J., Nov. 5.—Garnet Warden William Loder caught Freeman Fairbrother, of Absecon, N. J., this afternoon with a doe in his possession. Fairbrother was arraigned before Justice of the Peace William Mischlich and fined \$100.

TENTH CAVALRY FOR PATROL.

Galveston, Nov. 5.—The United States transport Kilpatrick sailed for New York to-day by the 10th United States Cavalry here. The regiment will then proceed to El Paso for border patrol.

HENNESSY PROMISED AID BY GLYNN AND CARMODY

Graft Hunter Says Executive Will Lend His Help in Jailing Looters.

CARLISLE TO CO-OPERATE

Highway Department Head Will Punish Wrongdoers—District Attorney Urged to Act.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Albany, Nov. 5.—If John A. Hennessy has any substantial evidence of wrongdoing against the state he will receive the active co-operation of Governor Glynn and Attorney General Carmody in running it down. He came to Albany this morning and after a conference with the Governor—necessarily short, as Mr. Glynn left on the 2 o'clock train this afternoon to attend the military maneuvers in New York—he expressed entire satisfaction with the attitude of the new Chief Executive.

"I believe Governor Glynn will do everything in his power," said Mr. Hennessy, "to help in placing behind prison bars those who have been stealing the state's money for years."

The Governor said that he had submitted to Hennessy all the reports he had. "I think Hennessy learned that I did not have as much as he thought I did," he added.

Mr. Hennessy has already secured indictments for highways graft in several counties, and he wants Governor Glynn to order grand jury investigations in other counties, where he says he can produce startling revelations in corruption in highways contracts. As Hennessy is obliged to return to New York to-morrow to appear before Magistrate McAdoo, a further meeting with the Governor was put off until next Monday morning.

Martin Promises Evidence.

After the interview with the Governor one of the first things that Mr. Hennessy did was to look up William Martin, the highway engineer who reported to Attorney General Carmody that he had found no evidence of corruption in highway contracts while he was assisting the Sulzer investigator. Hennessy declared that his field notes contained many specific incidents showing flagrant violations, and he asked Martin to get his field notes. The engineer promised to produce them, but did not do so up to a late hour to-night.

Hennessy then called on Highway Commissioner John N. Carlisle. "I want to find out about the statement attributed to him that there was no graft in the Highway Department," he said. "If he stands for that, then I shall have something to say, and I promise that it will be interesting."

Commissioner Carlisle told him that he had misunderstood his statement. He explained that his attention had been called by Governor Glynn to a circular issued by the Republican campaign committee saying that there was a waste of \$3,000,000 in the Highway Department.

"In my letter to Governor Glynn," said Mr. Carlisle, "I went into details as to the amounts paid by the state yearly out of the bond issue in connection with the improvement of roads."

"Misunderstood," Carlisle says. "Mr. Hennessy has done valuable work in the Highway Department in connection with investigations, and has had our active co-operation in every way, and I am sorry he should have gotten into such a frame of mind as he apparently is in."

"This department intends to compel the observance of the terms of all contracts on the part of contractors and to punish every wrongdoer that we can discover, and there will be no let-up on our part in this work."

Hennessy said that when he returned on Monday he intended to see District Attorney Sanford of this county and that he would stay here as long as the Governor wanted him to. Mr. Sanford has received many requests that he take up the various charges made in the recent campaign.

He is particularly sought to investigate the \$5,000 which the state paid to Aaron J. Levy as a fee for legal services to former State Engineer Skene in having certain indictments quashed. Many of the writers hold that Governor Sulzer in approving the appropriation was equally as much to be criticized as Levy and ask that he also be investigated.

MAYOR-ELECT TO SPEAK

Postpones Trip to Attend Merchants' Association Dinner.

John Purroy Mitchell, Mayor-elect, will be the chief speaker at the annual dinner of the Merchants' Association in the Waldorf-Astoria on Saturday night. More than seven hundred persons, members of the association and their guests, will attend the dinner. Yesterday Mr. Mitchell said:

"I am looking forward to the dinner with much pleasure, as it will give me a welcome opportunity to meet a large number of the business men of the city, whose co-operation I hope to have during my administration. I expect to take advantage of the occasion to outline in a general way the plans that I have in mind for the city. I should have gone away for a little rest immediately after Election Day had it not been for this dinner, but in order to be there I have postponed my trip."

All the city officials who will be members of the Board of Estimate after January 1 and their opponents in the recent campaign have been invited. Chairman McAdoo of the Public Service Commission was to be one of the speakers, but he may not return to the city in time to attend the dinner.

DIES IN ELECTION BONFIRE.

Joseph Ezell, six years old, of No. 146 Myrtle avenue, Jersey City, was playing around an election bonfire yesterday, when the flames ignited his clothing. Two young men smothered the flames with their coats, but it was too late to save the boy.

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OHIO REPUBLICANS GAIN

Elect 31 of 69 Mayors—Say Cox Is Reputed.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 5.—Complete returns from yesterday's municipal elections in Ohio show that the Republicans have made sweeping gains in every section of the state. In many cities they have elected their Mayoralty candidates for the first time in years.

Thirty-one Republican Mayors were elected in Ohio cities and towns, as

against 22 by the Democrats, 8 by Independents, 5 by Socialists and 3 by Progressives. This was a distinct gain by Republicans and a loss for both the Democrats and Socialists, the latter party having elected sixteen Mayors two years ago.

Politicians say the outcome of the election forecasts repudiation of Governor Cox's administration at the next election. They point to the downfall of Mayor Hunt, Democrat, in Cincinnati, the narrow margin by which Mayor Baker was elected in Cleveland, the election of a Republican in Toledo, and the defeat of the short ballot measures which were backed by Governor Cox.

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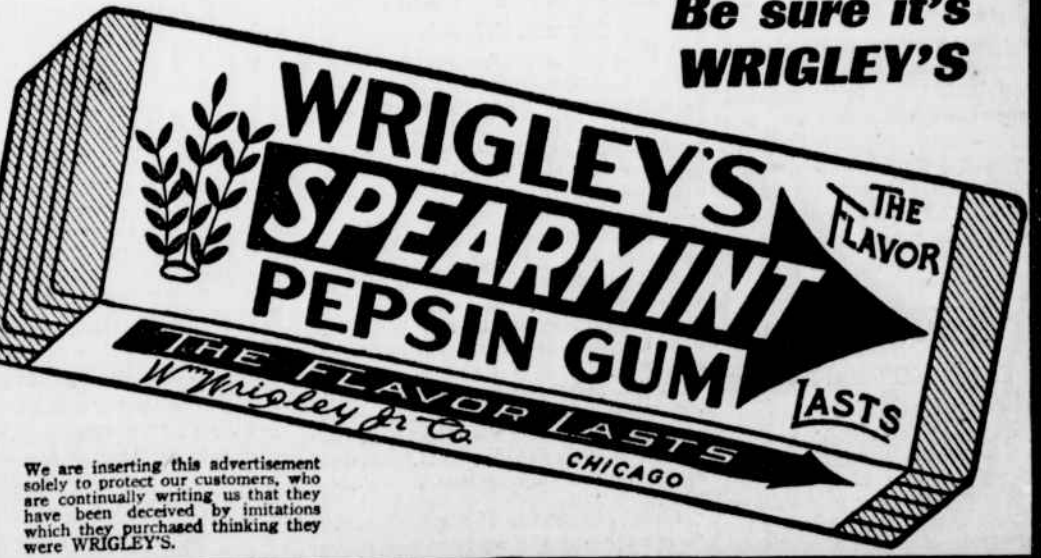
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